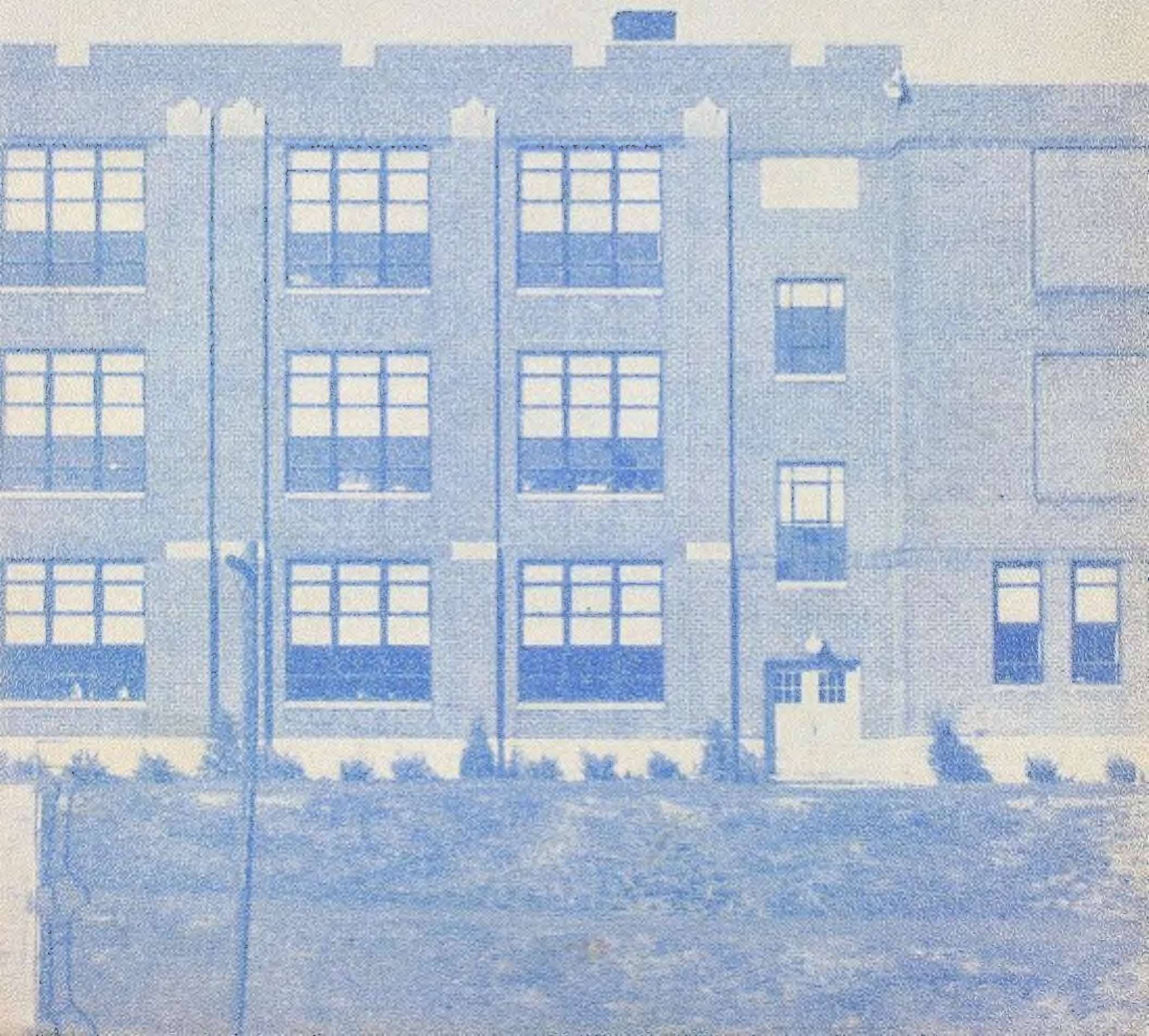
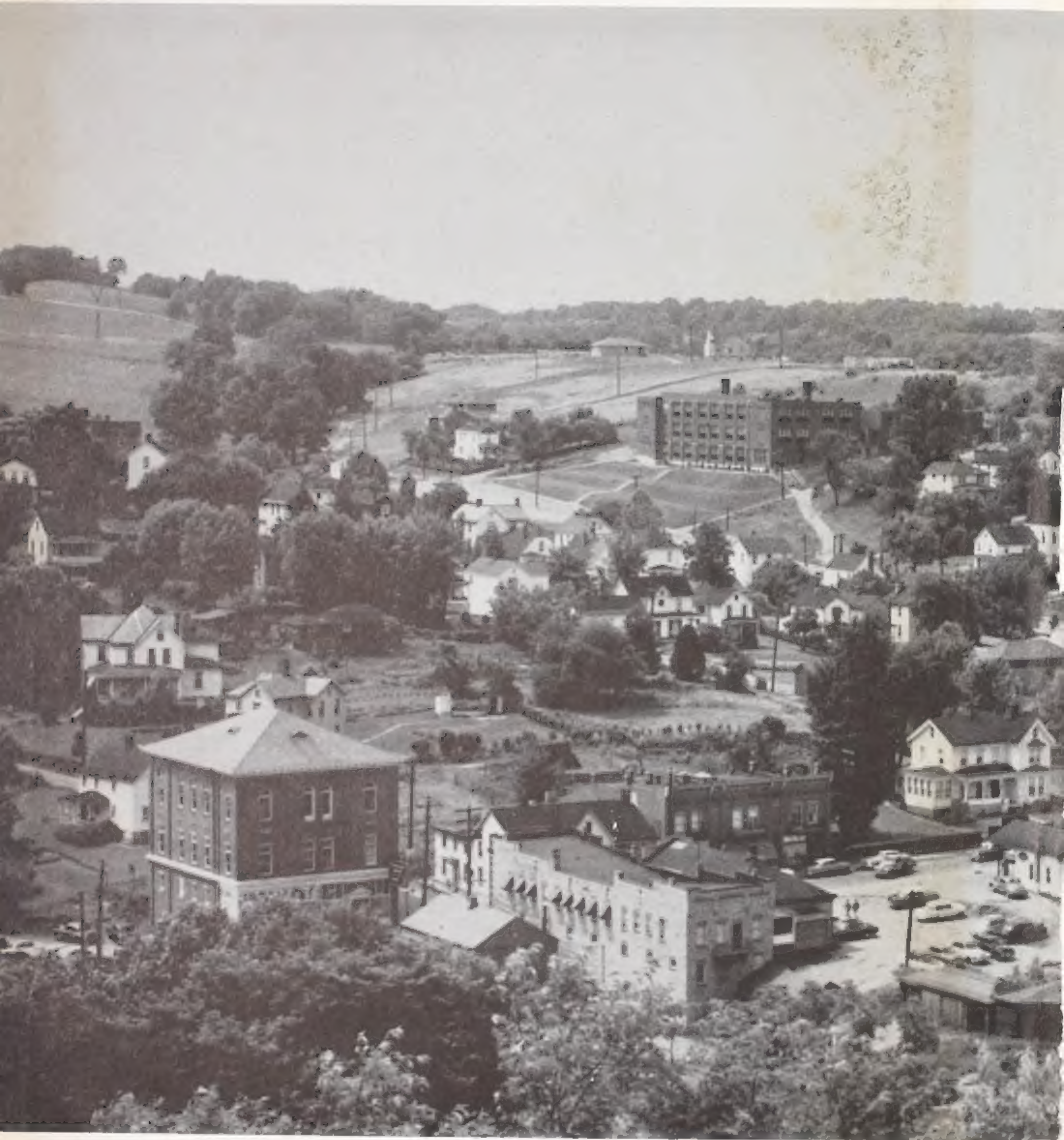


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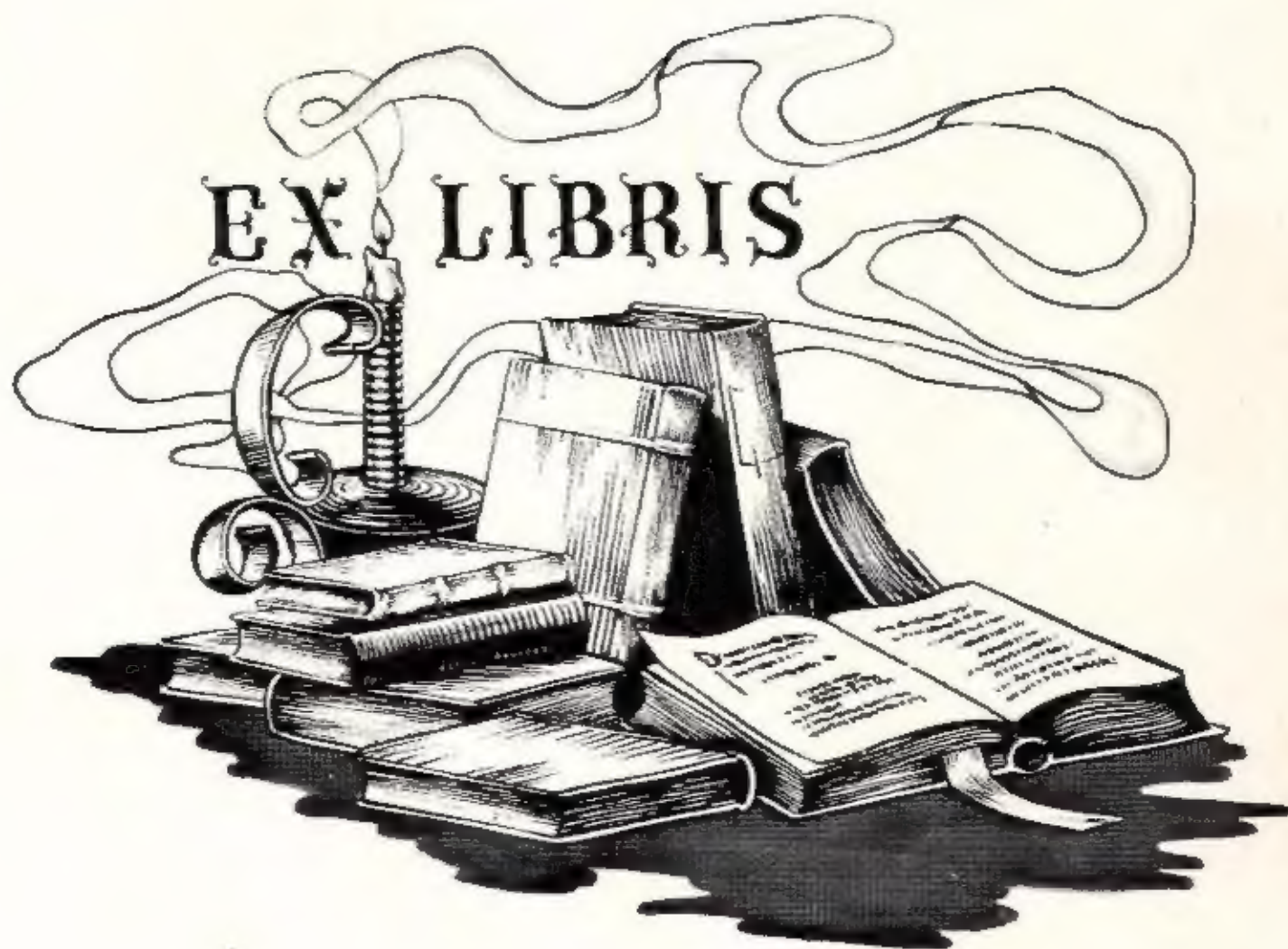








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"Don't look at me in that tone of voice!"



Miss Kilonsky  
Commercial

"Please write on nice paper when asking me for a recommendation."



Mr. Vernallis  
Math

"If this were my problem!"



Mr. Bia  
P. O. D.

"You're not a clown, you're a village idiot!"





Mr. Roche  
English-French  
"Play the fool."



Mrs. Aebi  
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"Ask for my permission if you want  
to talk."

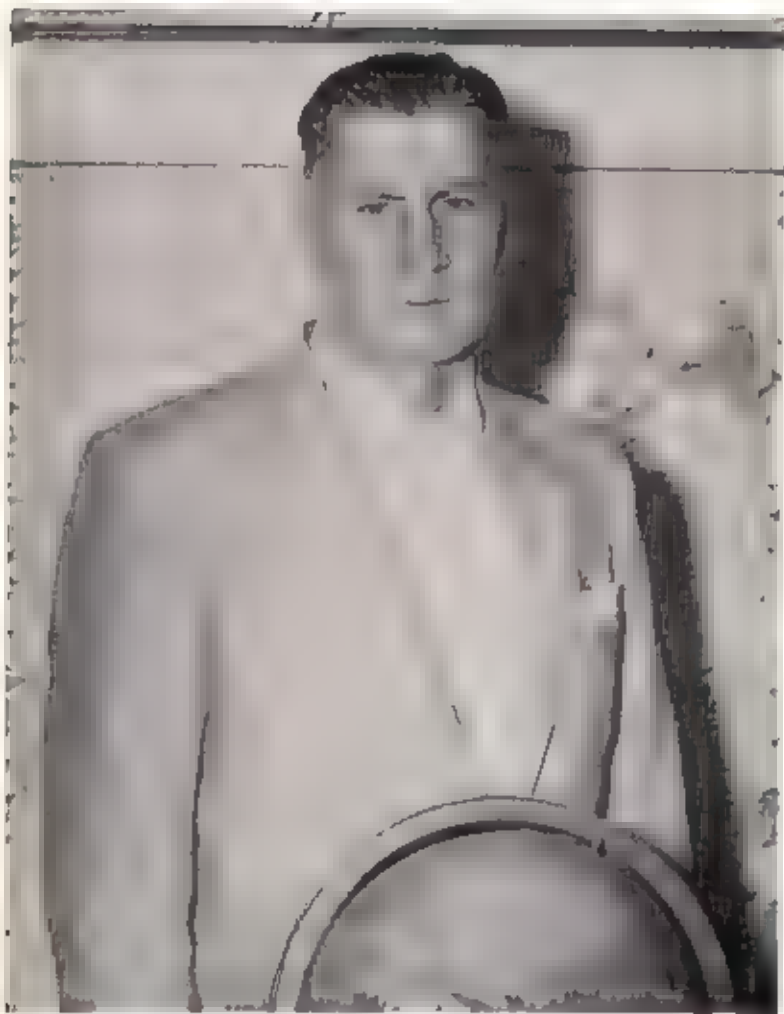


Mr. N. Hrutkay  
Industrial Arts  
"Boy, am I going to drive you."



Mr. C. Hrutkay  
History  
"All right."





Mr. Ryland  
Geography-History  
"Knock it off."



Miss Rainey  
Librarian-English  
"Are you sure."



Mr. Wiggins  
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"Nay it tis not so, or I would have  
informed you otherwise."



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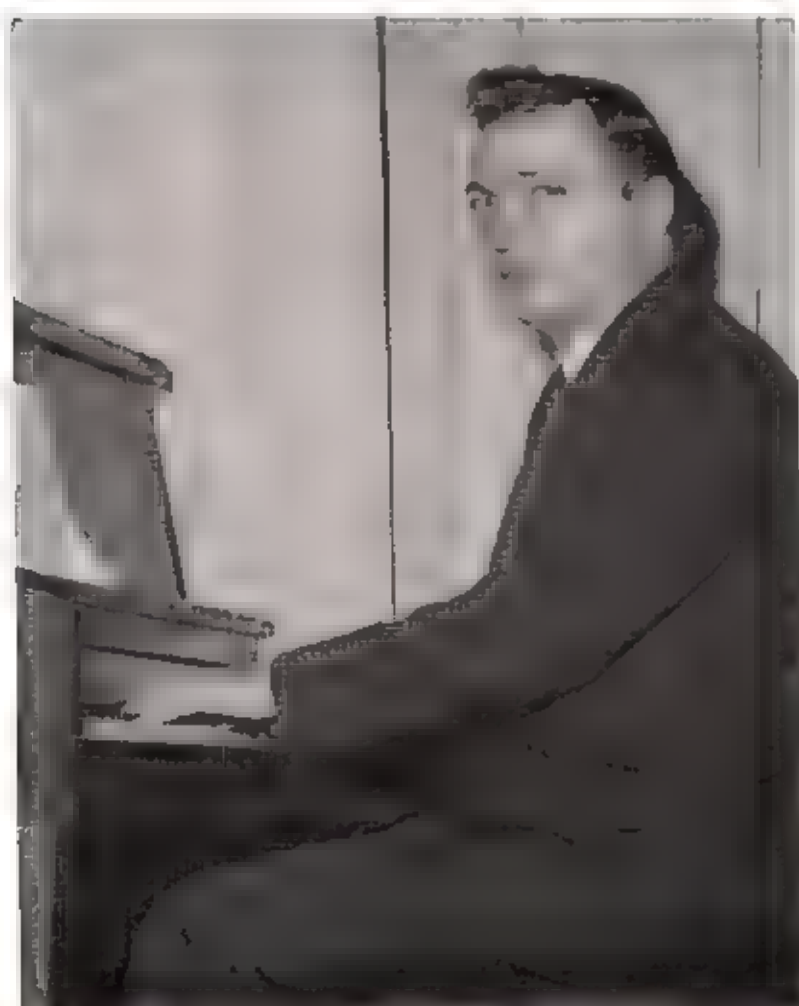




Miss Snyder  
Home Ec.  
"Why are you so noisy today?"



Mr. Telleck  
Basketball Coach  
"Get out of here."



Mr. McFadyen  
Vocal-Instrumental  
"Any time you're ready, I am."



Mrs. Varriale  
Secretary  
"Sure I can do it."





Mr. Sicchitano  
Custodian



Mr. Morton  
Custodian

## SCHOOL AIDS

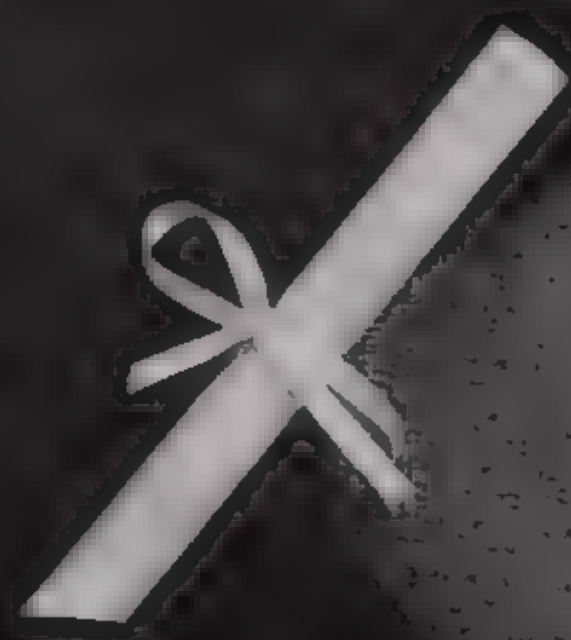


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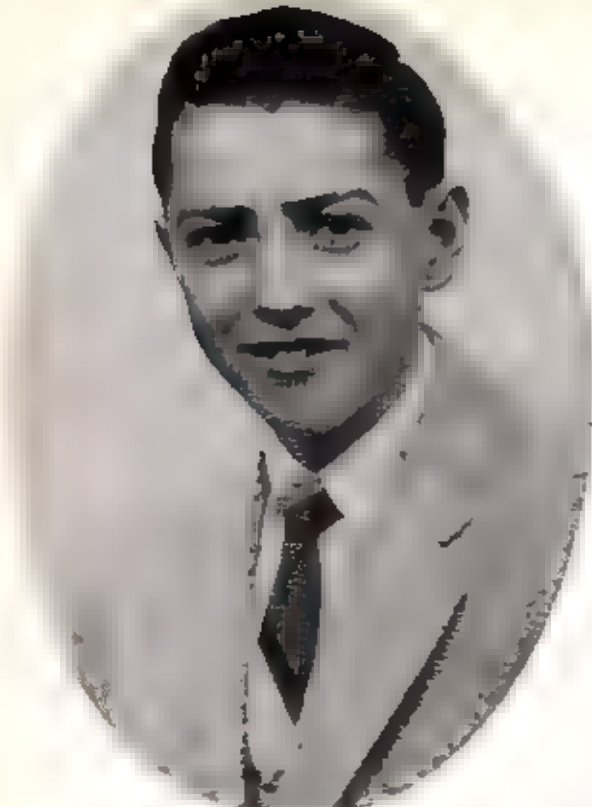
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 Commercial

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 Vice President  
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 Football  
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 Chorus  
 N. F. L.  
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 General



Bonnie J. Mendola  
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 Secretary  
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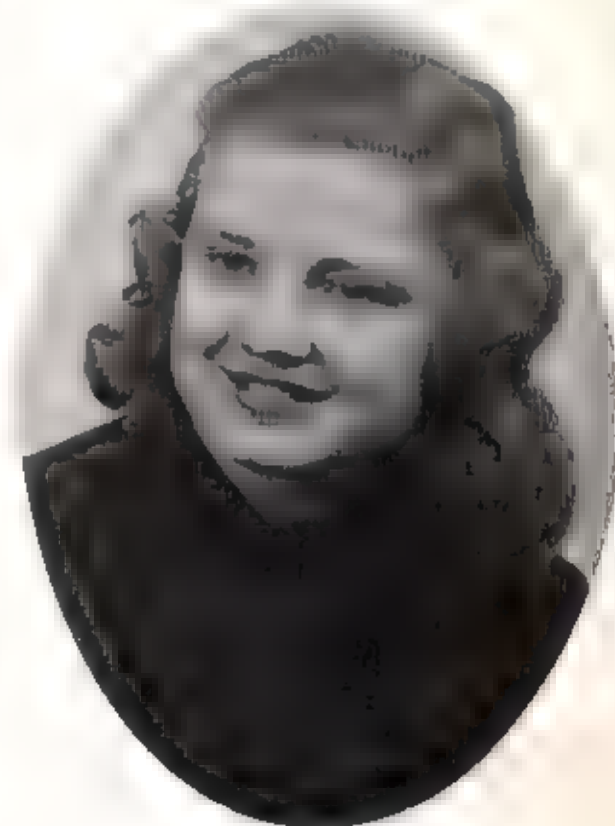
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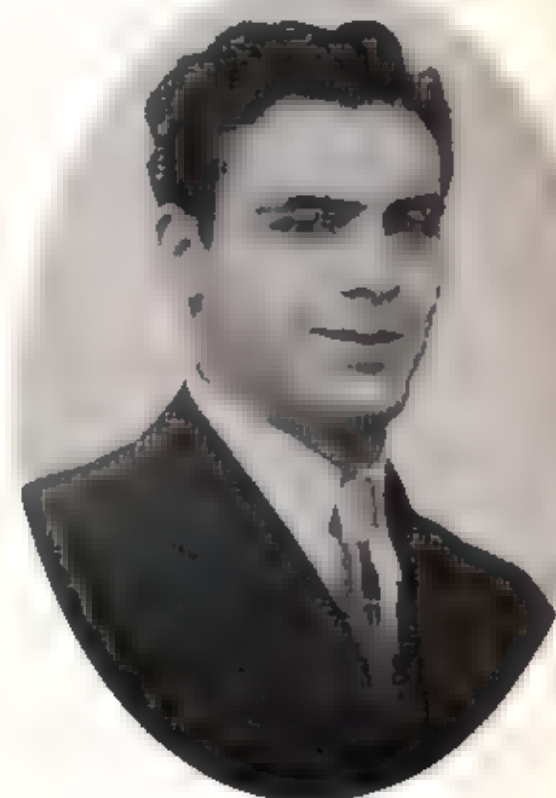
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Scientific-Academic



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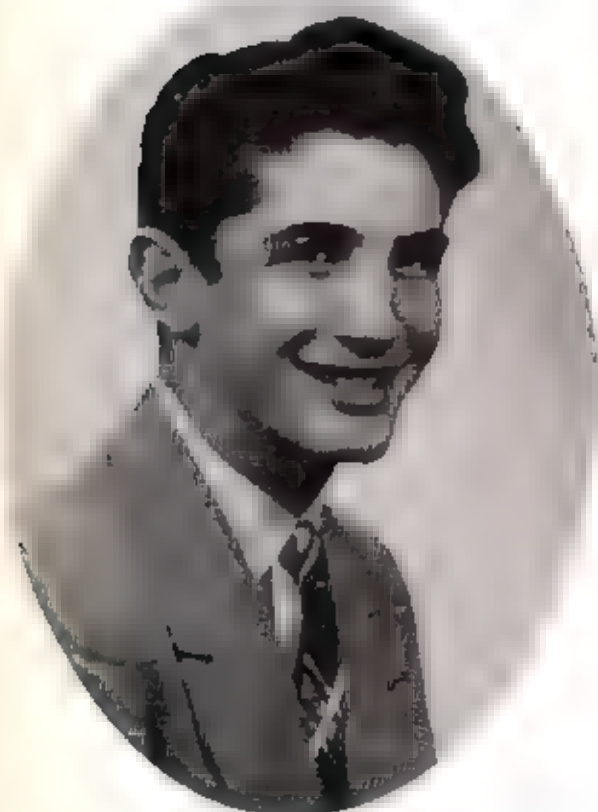
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George Vaughn Christopher

"Chris"  
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Martha Rae Clutter

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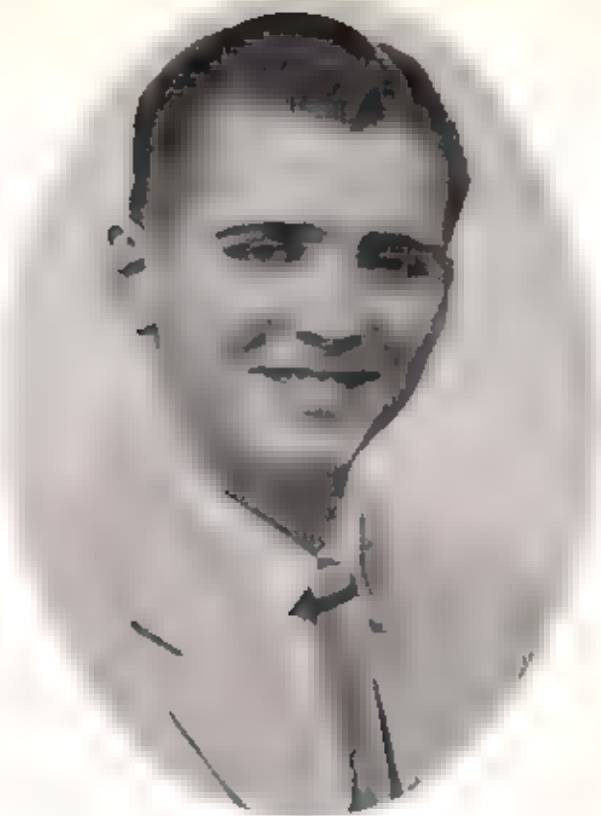


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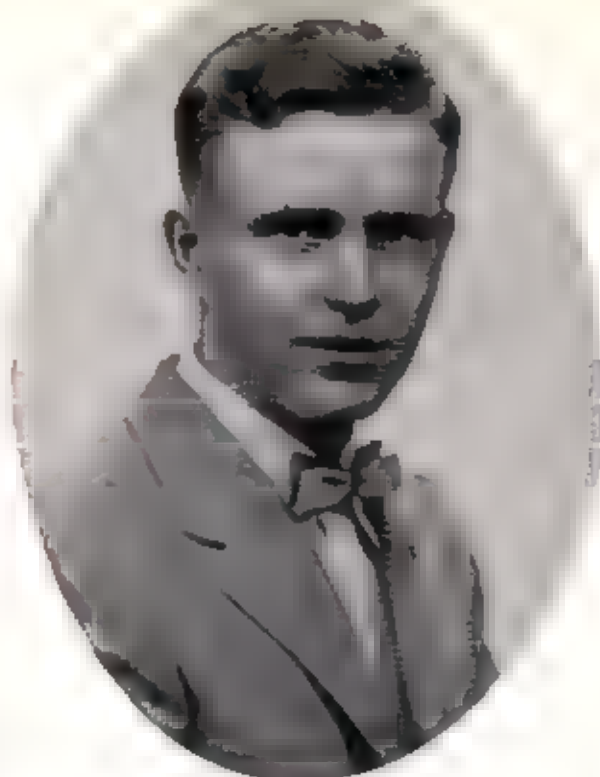
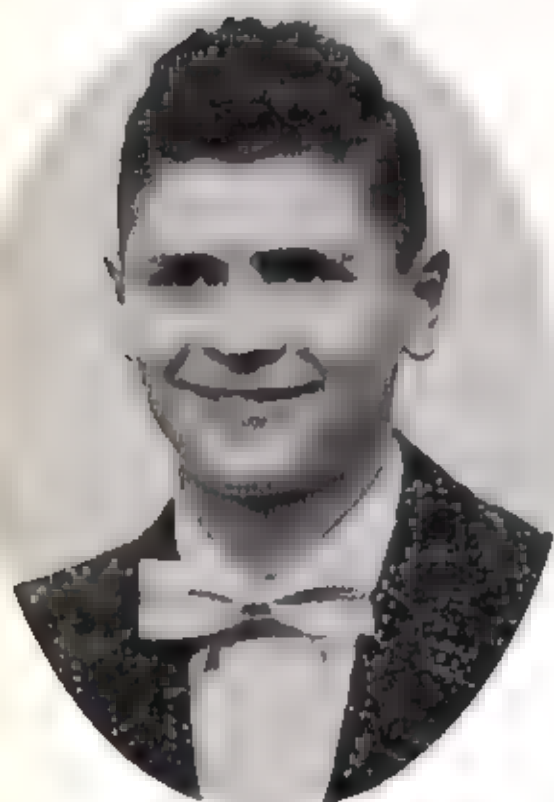
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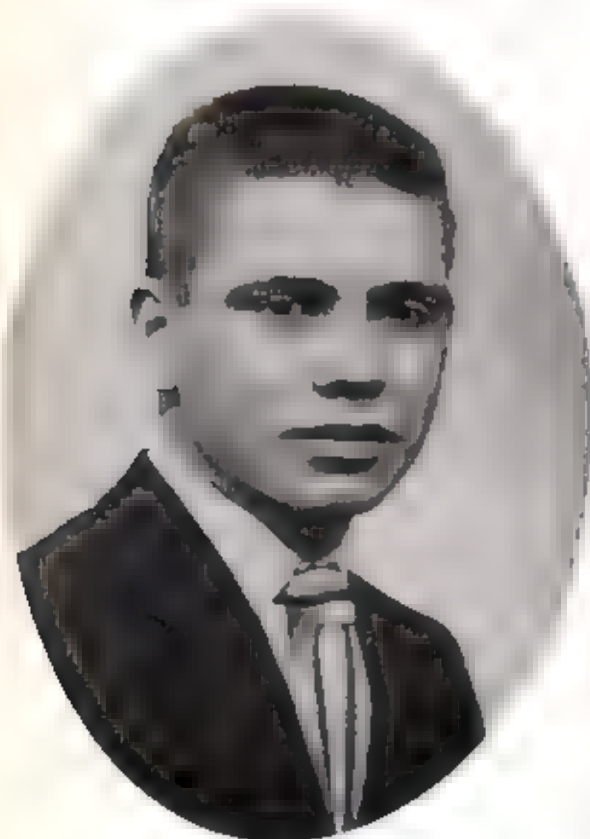


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Sally Ann Gladish  
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Academic



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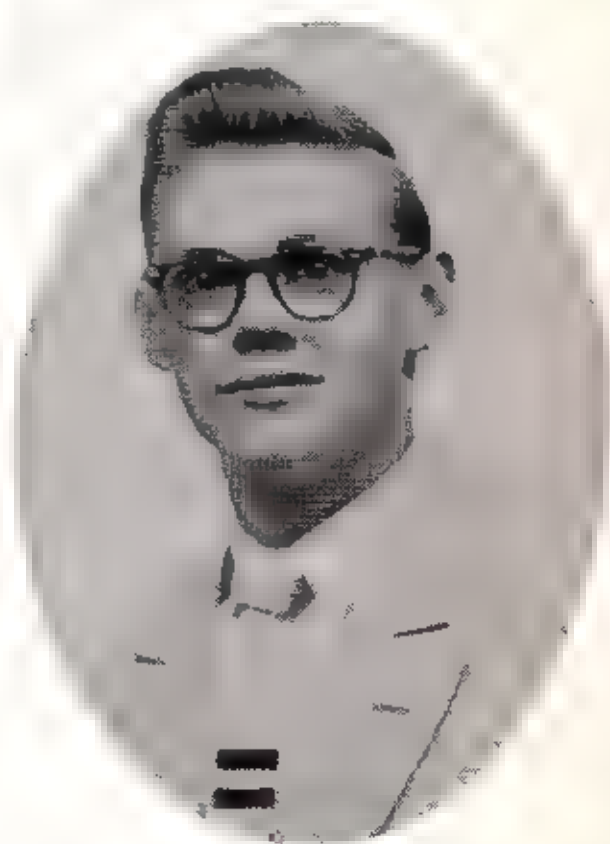


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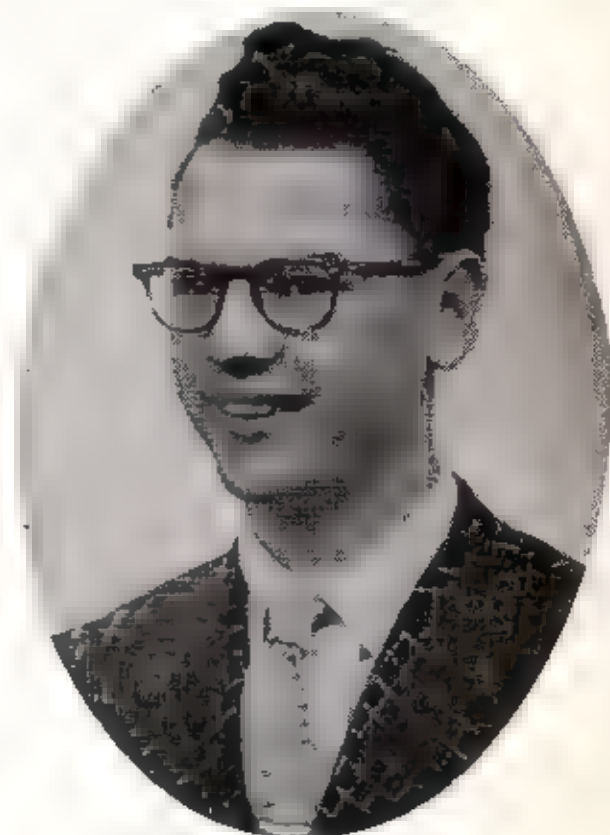


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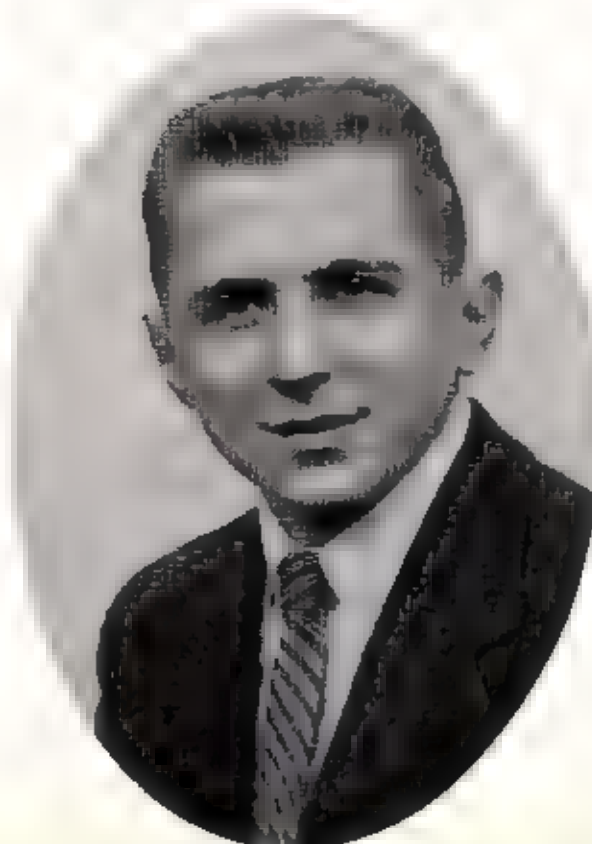
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 Majorette-Clef  
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 Sr. Play (Cast)  
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 Blue & Gold-N. H. S.  
 May Queen Attendant  
 Yrbk. -I. S. S. -N. F. L.  
 General



Joseph M. Kruppa  
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 Chorus  
 Yearbook  
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Harry Robert Lambert  
"Pete"  
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General



Irene M. Lanik  
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Marlene Lancy  
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Nancy Mihalek  
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Vonda Anita Mowery  
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Yearbook  
Commercial





Henry B. Norquist  
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General



Florence Ann Paul  
"Flo"  
Chorus  
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Norma J. Partezana  
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Alice C. Petrick  
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Joel Pierce  
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Lucille Pigeon  
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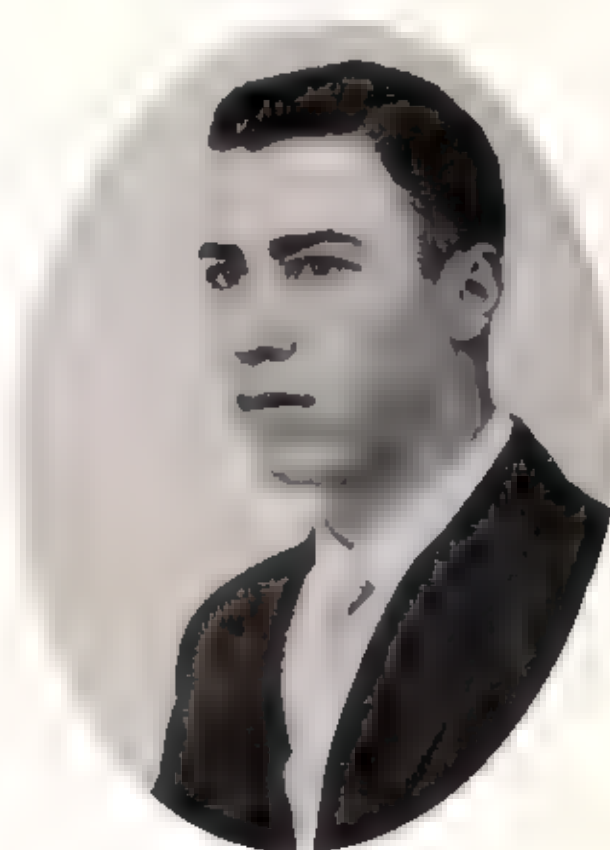


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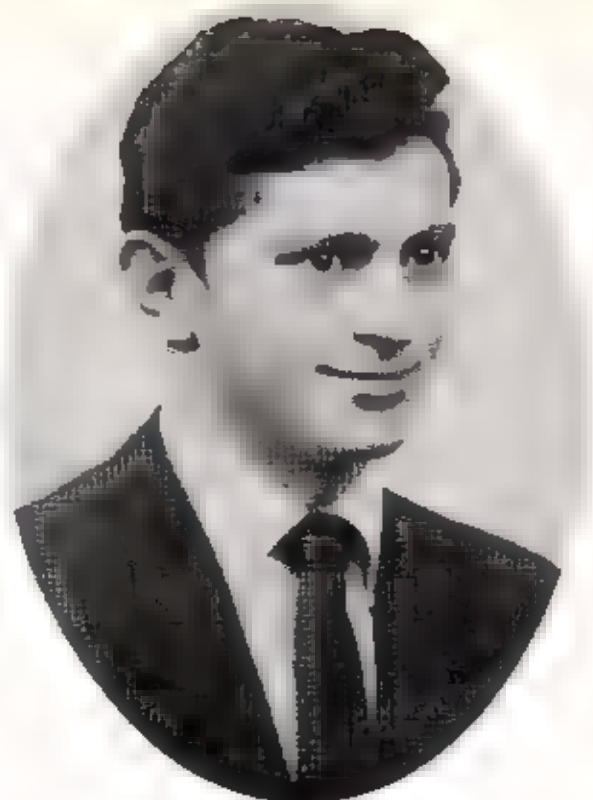
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Gerry Marie Santee  
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Isabelle M. Scicchitano  
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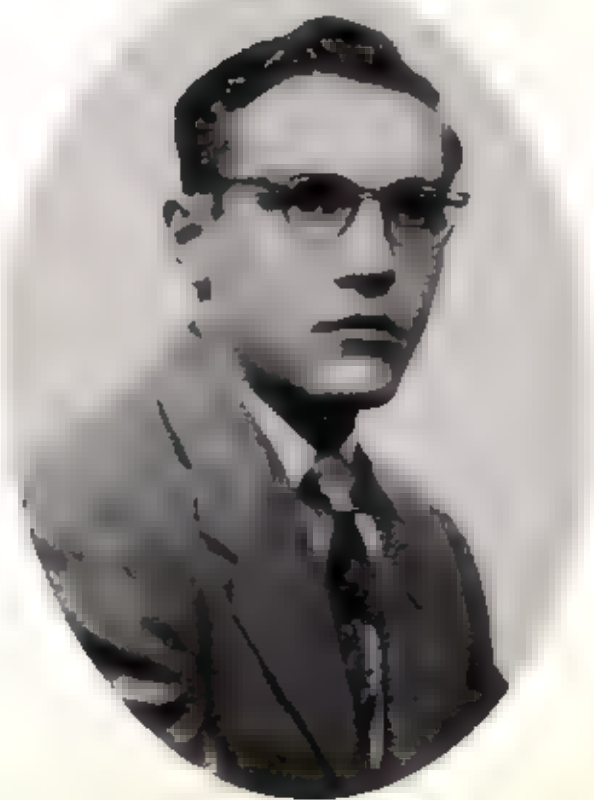
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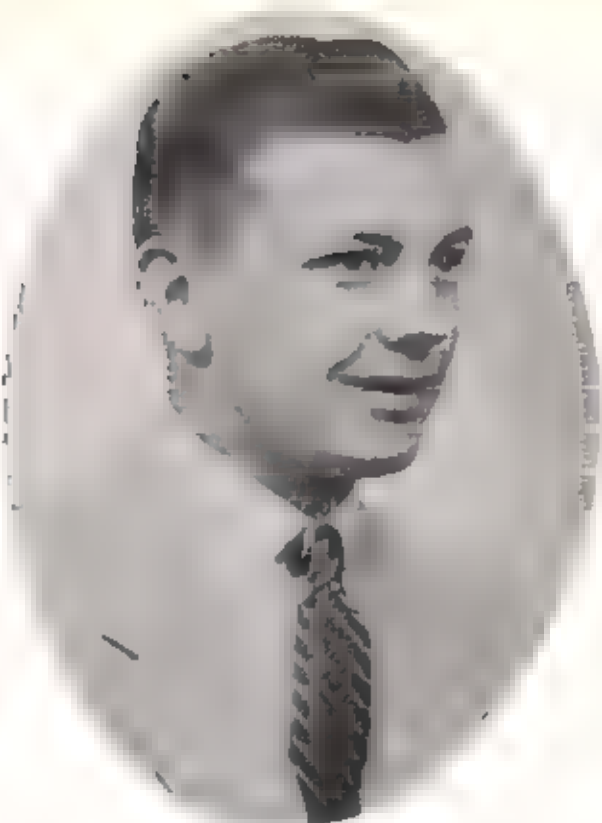
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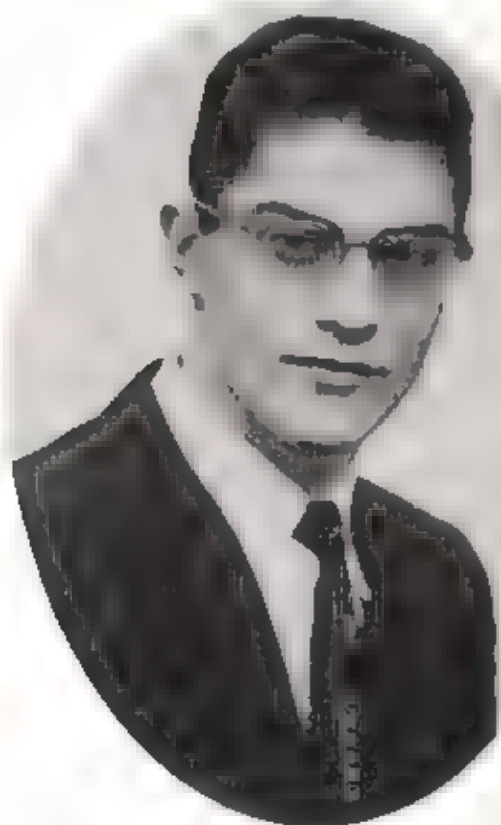
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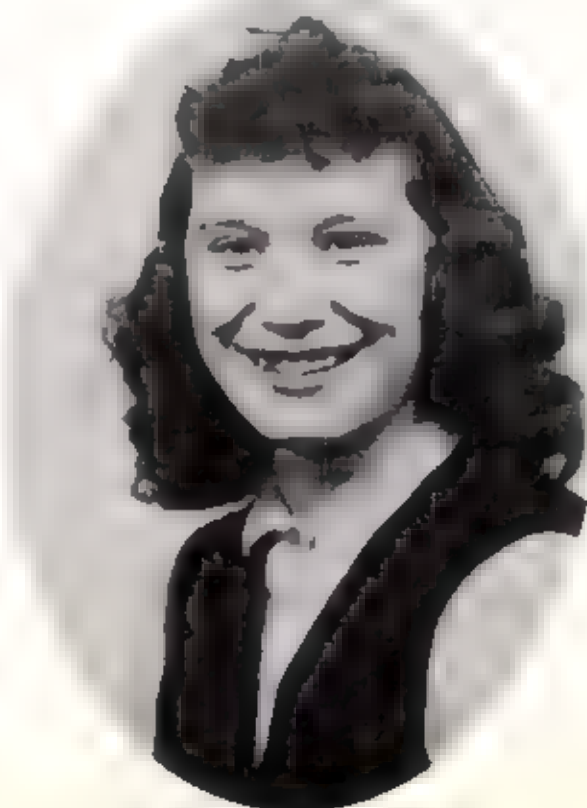
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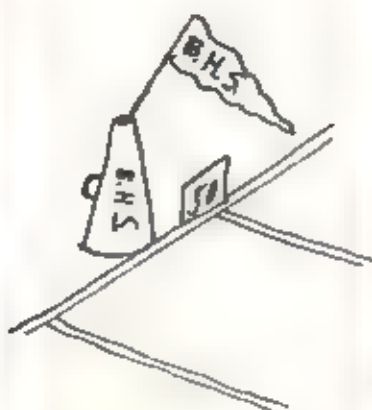




Most Popular

R. Dague

B. Mendola



Most School Spirit

B. Mendola

S. Zemencik



Best Physique

M. Lancy

G. Snyder

# W H O ' S



Most Brilliant

S. Gladish

T. Trozzi



Most Courteous

G. Bell

D. Zumpetta



Best Dressed

G. Krosnoff

P. Kibelbek





**Most Likely to Succeed**  
C. Angotti                      R. Dague



**First to Marry**  
A. Petrick                      S. Sadvary

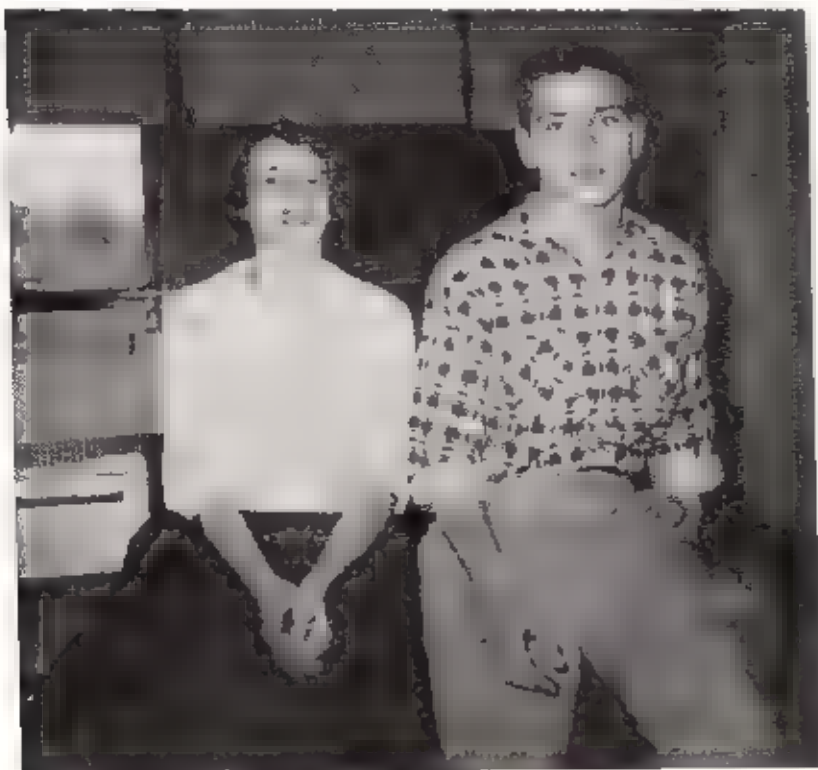


**Most Comical**  
I. Scicchitano                      J. Bonfadini

**W  
H  
O**



**Best Musicians**  
G. Christopher                      B. Mendola



**Most Athletic**  
B. Ames                      B. Gette



**Best Dancer**  
J. Bonfadini                      P. Kibelbek

# .. SENIOR CLASS PLAY .. PHANTOM OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

BENSON CITY CENTENNIAL 1855-1955



Front - C. Zilka, G. Christopher, J. Kibelbek, J. Stowinsky, R. Lambert

Sitting - I. Scicchitano, P. Kibelbek, C. Angotti, S. Zemencik, H. Puskavich, G. Santee, B. Ames, V. Conicello

Standing - L. Thompson, B. Greenlee, Y. Dinco, F. Conkle, S. Gladish, R. Dague, T. Trozzi, R. Pollifroni, G. Krosnoff, B. Mendola, J. Bonfadini, F. Startare, F. Velican



Miss Kilonsky



Miss Nelson





# SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

As we look back through our years in school, these are the things we will never forget.

One day, a long time ago, in September of 1944, a group of youngsters started their first day of school. They entered either the Bentleyville or the Somerset Schools to begin to prepare for graduation which would take place twelve years later. Believe it or not, but those youngsters turned out to be us.

Our first three years were spent in the big red brick school building. We all worked hard to learn our lessons. Before we realized it, it was time to transfer to the Main Street School or as we called it, "Lower End". Here, we enjoyed having a different teacher for each subject. Our picnics at Smith's farm were full of fun. We received diplomas for penmanship in the sixth grade.

In 1950, we went back to the red brick school. We were a little frightened when we first came. The upperclassmen looked so-o-o big. We soon got used to them. We were all happy to see Dolores Martin and Rodney Dague receive the American Legion Award. Martha Rae Clutter received the same award at Somerset.

All the excitement really began in our freshman year. Initiation day came with the bur-lap sacks, long underwear, and worst of all the lipstick. We welcomed our new friends and classmates from Somerset with a get-together party. The Frolic came near the end of the year. All the girls and boys were dressed in their very best. This was the first formal for most of us. Our Frolic was a great success-thanks to Mr. Cristina and Mr. N. Hrutkay for making our freshman year a memorable one.

We chose our own course of study in our sophomore year. Some of us were busy with commercial subjects while others were tangling with geometry and language. We worked hard this year so we celebrated with a trip to Kennywood at the end of the year.

Our junior year came bouncing along. We ordered our class rings and received them just in time for Christmas. We had a wonderful time at our Christmas party. Mr. Jansante and Miss Kilonsky kept their eyes on us all year long. Thanks to them, we were kept on the straight and narrow. Most of us went to the Prom at the end of the year. Our junior year flew by and our senior year crept up on us.

We finally reached the top. At last, we are SENIORS. This year we sold magazines. Hats off to John - our super salesman. Steve Zemencik was elected our class president. Name cards came. As a result, all seniors had writers cramps. The senior class play, "Phantom of the High School", was presented in November -- orchids to Miss Nelson and Miss Kilonsky for doing such an excellent job in making it a success. Folk dances were the highlight of our Christmas party. Senior pictures were taken. With the help of Mr. Hetherington, our yearbook was completed. The Prom was held at the Nemacolin Country Club. It truly was a sight to behold. Isabelle Scicchitano reigned as May Queen of '56.

Class night, baccalaureate, and commencement are just around the corner. Commencement will bring our senior year to a close. Our school days will always be moments to remember. We will now find our path and never forget our happy days we have spent together. Our way has been shown and we will follow that straight and narrow path.

Color - Navy Blue and White

Flower - Mamie Eisenhower Carnation

Motto - We will find a path or make one



# HOW WE LOOKED THEN



"Flo"



"Lu"



"Dineo"



"Sal"



"Sina"



"Connie"



"Irene"



"Dine"



"Greg & Izzy"



"Roselee"



"Jo Ann"



"Chris"



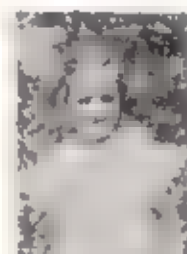
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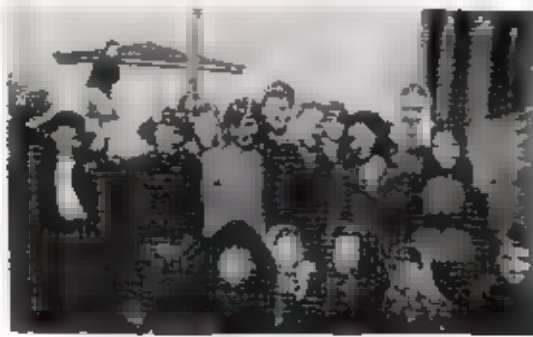


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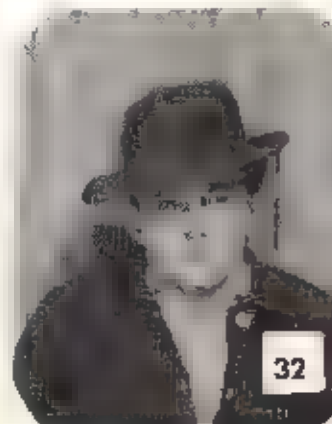
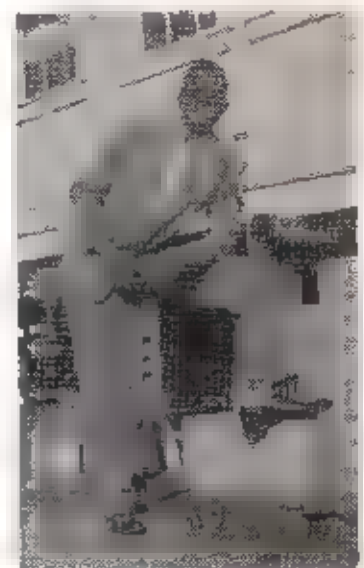


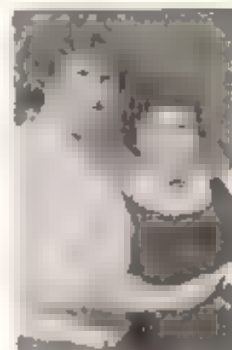
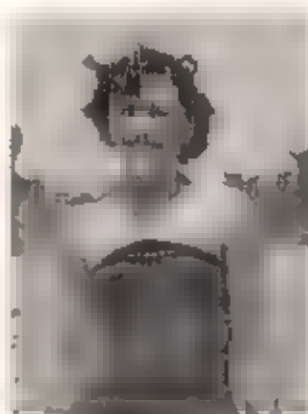
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## SENIOR SNAPSHOTS





## MORE SNAPS







P. Squarcia  
Pres.



P. Price  
Sec.



R. Kendgia  
Treas.



S. Ambrosy



J. Barbour



B. Bertovich



D. Blackburn



C. Daniels



F. Delattre



H. Denny



J. Fava



R. Gates



V. Gavlik



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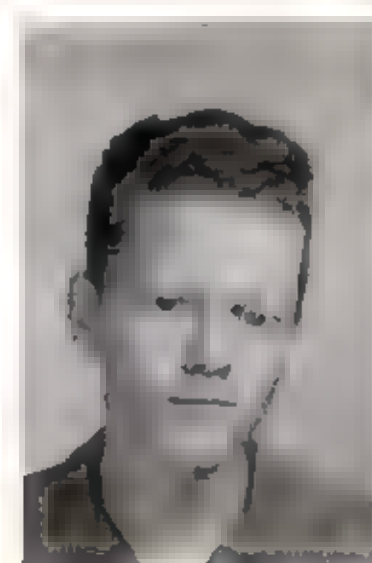
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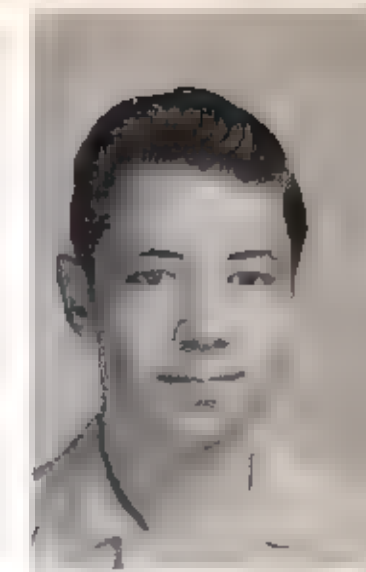
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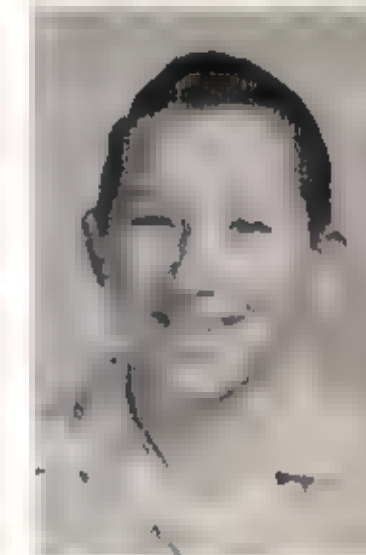
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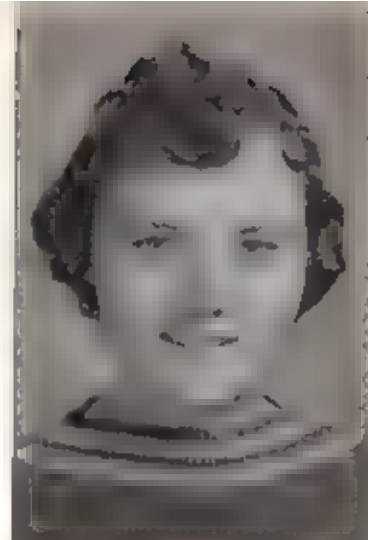
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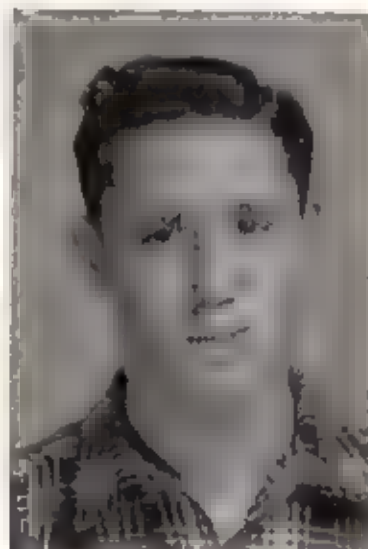
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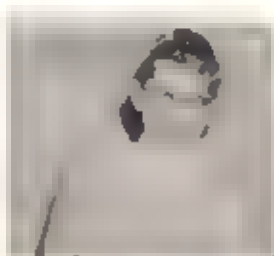
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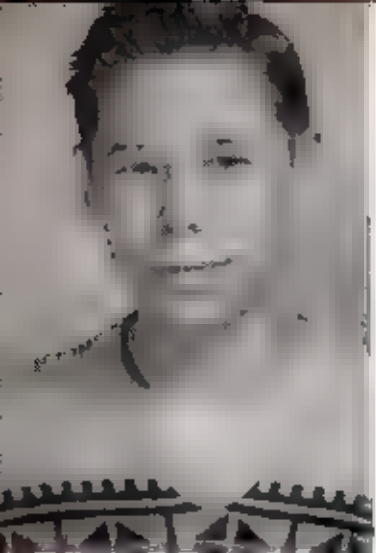
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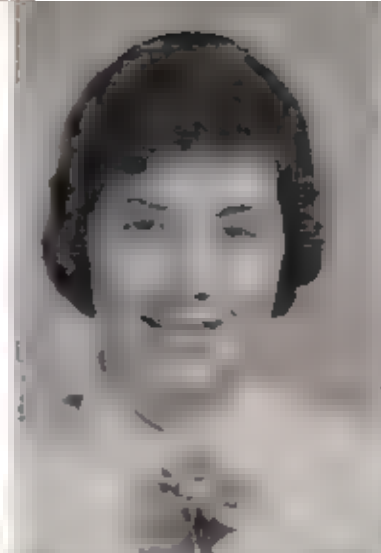
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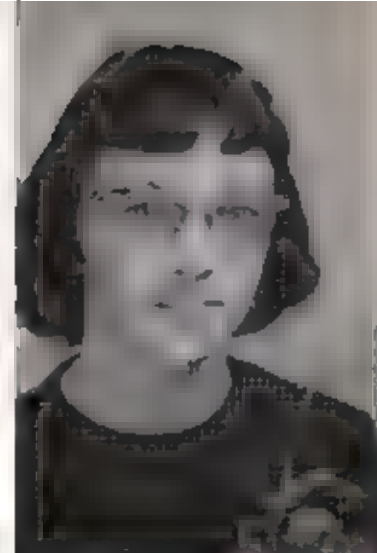
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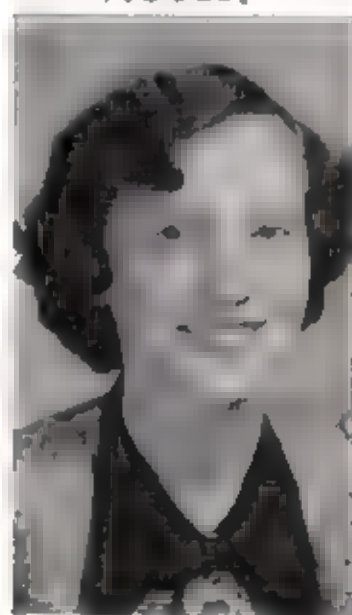
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J. Behanna



K. Bonfadini



M. Bowen



R. Bruce



D. Burger



F. Carl



J. Christopher  
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S. Cicci



D. Conkle



B. Dague



M. Detrick





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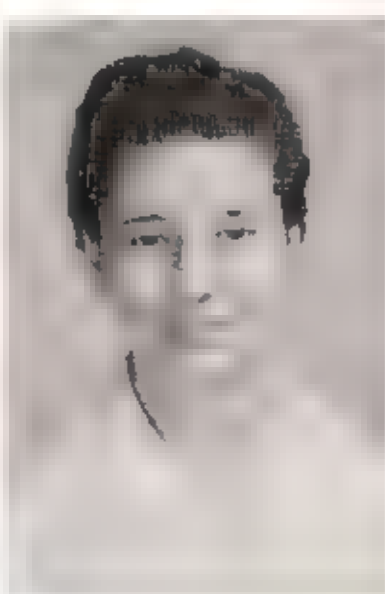
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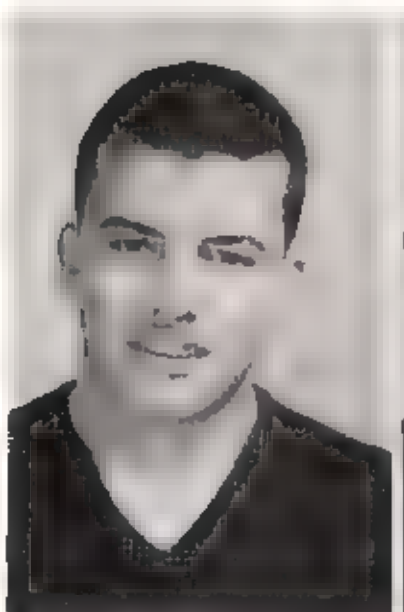
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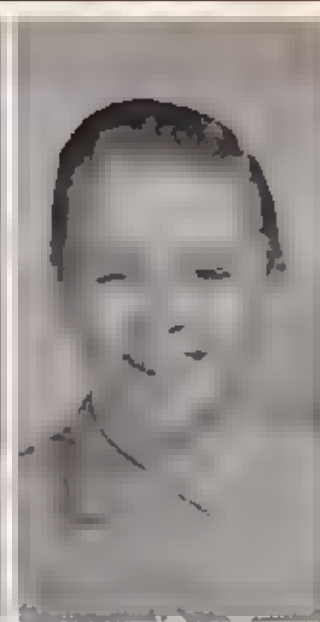
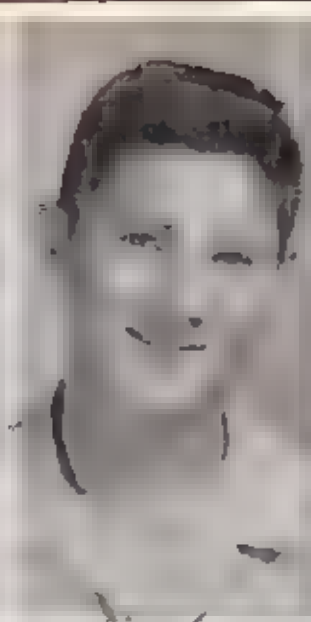
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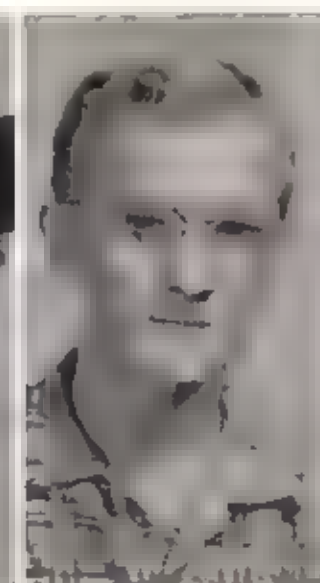
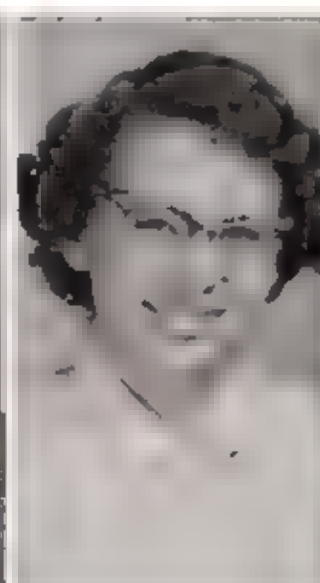
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J. Stankus

S. Terretti



R. Terza

D. Trozzi

R. Vlanich

I. Wisniewski

A. Wright

M. Wright





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# NINTH GRADE



First Row - S. Wiggins, T. Coyle, P. Pierce, D. Majoras,  
M. Behanna, B. Frameli, S. Conkle, F. Pollifroni, J. Staranko,  
D. Sturchak

Second Row - P. Anderson, G. Getto, S. Gordon, P. West,  
N. Sokoloff, G. Kearns, L. Sylvester, L. Spears, P. Denny,

Third Row - M. Lanco, C. Nagel, F. Cowger, J. Holbert, A. Demo,  
R. Brovey, J. Kendra, Y. Zamiska, Mr. C. Hrutkay



First Row - C. Anderson, J. Jones, R. Wilson, N. Coyle,  
B. Crumrine, M. Orsatti, F. Snyder, J. Ulisky, J. Jacobs,  
K. Silbaugh, Mr. N. Hrutkay

Second Row - M. McNulty, S. Saniga, J. Shaynak, L. Baker  
B. Jones, M. McCormick, D. Vlanich, N. Beresis,  
R. Puskarich, E. Fefolt, K. Hazlinsky, B. Pallai

Third Row - C. Gilmore, M. Greenlee, R. Gibbs, D. Nicholls  
W. Consavage, D. Petrick, V. Puskarich, J. Babirad,  
V. Seidel, J. Stanek, J. Malik



# EIGHTH GRADE



First Row - S. Granus, S. Greenlee, C. Latacki, R. Spornak,  
B. Skerbetz, D. Umbel, R. Puskavich, P. Gurriel

Second Row - N. Fiem, H. Harvey, T. Twardeck, R. Chopp,  
D. Woods, P. Sicchitano, E. Wilson, N. Petrisek, D. Snyder  
S. Costa, J. Kibelbek

Third Row - J. Zorek, C. Connelly, J. Wright, M. Smiley,  
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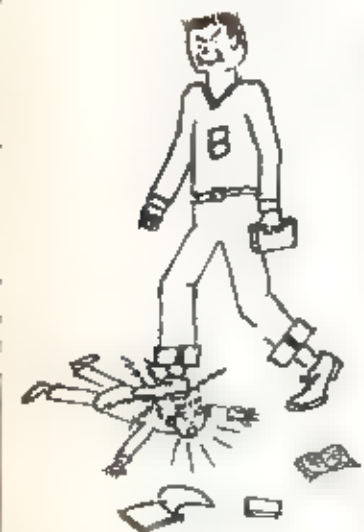


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Second Row - G. Gondak, E. Watkins, J. Zuscarr, R. Lane, J. Madliak,  
V. Petrisek, P. Palcic, J. Coyle, S. Fawcett, J. Stankus, R. Adams,  
N. Deems

Third Row - A. Fordyce, L. Winklebleck, J. Campisi, C. Hixenbaugh,  
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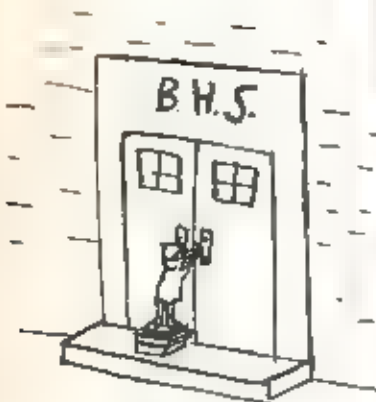


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B. Mesler, J. Blackburn, R. Jones, J. Sylvester, T. Ankrom  
E. Peterson, D. Ames

Second Row - J. Chester, T. Smiley, S. Lancy, J. Wilson,  
N. Kelley, J. Post, R. Paul, B. Sicchitano, L. Teale

Third Row - D. Irely, M. Chopp, R. Orsatti, M. Sessi, M. Wasil  
W. Buzinski, D. Puskarich, J. Marchezak, T. Burger

Fourth Row - P. Prokell, H. Fields, C. Woleslagle, R. Cullen,  
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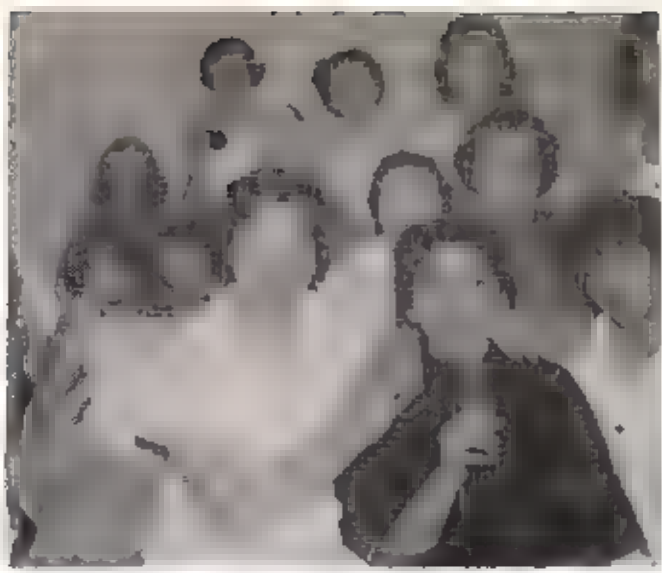


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Second Row - R. Anderson, P. Daniels, J. Chester, B. Lustik,  
C. Wright, R. Crumrine, F. Vernallis, C. Moore, A. Kotcher,  
C. Bosick, E. Stanek

Third Row - M. Syncavich, D. Mitchner, P. Corbett, H. Palcic  
Mr. Vankirk, S. Maniecki, A. Luketich, R. Prokell, S. Lane,  
J. Metro





## UNDERCLASSMEN SNAPS





# SCHOOL



August

29

Back at school again...can't loaf forever.

September

2

Class Officers elected...big deal!!

5

Labor Day vacation...at last a free day!

8

Magazine Campaign...off to a good start.

8

Freshman...new friendships.

10

Lost opening game to Dunbar...we'll get them

14

Our first Lyceum...wonderful performance!

16

Bears lose to B.J...tough luck.

22

End magazine campaign...Bonfadini - our sup

22

Class Rings ordered...lot of smiling Juniors.

24

Bears overpower West Beth...easy win.

28

First issue of Blue & Gold...all secrets revealed.

30

Bears beat Fairchance...band dance big success.



October

6-7

Teachers Institute...their turn to relax.

8

Perry away.

11

Air Force Movie...shall we go???

14

Derry Boro at Home...got a bad start.

15

California Homecoming...band receives Gold Cup.

21

Bridgeville vs Bentleyville...fought to a draw.

27

Nine week tests...all smiles disappeared.

28

Rankin away...tough foe.



November

3

School Pictures taken...beautiful guys and dolls.

4

Report Cards...shall we take them home??

5

Bears and Tigers clash.

7

County Chorus goes on tour...lot of sore throats.

11

Armistice Day...no school Hurrah!!

15

Record Dance held...everyone had fun.

18

Senior Class Play... "Phantom of the High School."

22

Yearbook Pictures...1, 2, - too late.

24-25

Thanksgiving Vacation...too much to eat!

28

School again...Oh well!



December

2

Name Cards arrived...Seniors learn to write.

5-6-7

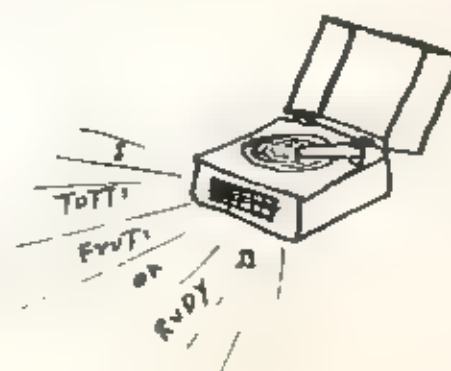
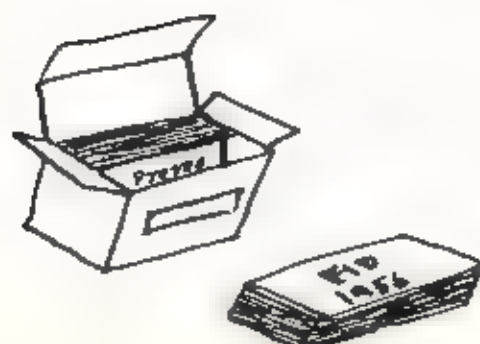
Senior Class Pictures...a lot of fuss.

6

Sr. Class Record Dance...plenty of good records.

9

Basketball Season begins...with Monongahela.





# CALENDAR



## December

- 13 Bears play E. Wash...good game.
- 15 Senior Class Party...what a riot!!
- 16 Snowden Home...lost by a bucket.
- 20 Bears vs Avella...won in overtime.
- 21 Christmas Vacation starts...happy holiday.
- 22 Canonsburg Away... didn't do so good.
- 27 Chartiers Home...we're improving.
- 30 Canonsburg Home... sure payed them back.



## January



- 3 School Resumes...all good things must come to an end.
- 3 Bears vs Tigers...49-48... tough one to lose.
- 6 West Beth Home...Seniors hold dance.
- 10 Mapletown Away...too bad we lost.
- 12 Sr. vs Undergrads...Seniors win.
- 13 Centerville Away...a rough one.
- 17 Jefferson Home...bears win.
- 20 East Beth Away...we almost won.
- 20 End of Semester...half way mark.
- 24 Carmichaels... Bears took over.
- 31 Bears vs Tigers...victory for the Bears.



## February

- 3 West Beth Home...Bears win again.
- 7 Mapletown Home...so close, yet so far.
- 10 Centerville Home...Dramatic Club holds dance.
- 14 St. Valentines Day...Miss Nelson gets candy from her boys.
- 17 East Beth Home...Band record dance followed.
- 21 Last Game of Season with Carmichaels.



## March

- 23 End of 3rd Quarter.
- 30 Easter Vacation begins...Joyous season.

## April

- 3 Back to school for the last time.
- 6 Dramatic Club Open House...lot of work but it's fun.
- 13 Prom at Nemacolin Country Club...beautiful sight.
- 24 We Sing...a touch of spring.



## May

- 1 May Queen Coronation...orchids to Queen and her Court.
- 14-15 Final Exams...our last high school tests.
- 18 Class Night...coming too soon.
- 20 Baccalaureate...a glimpse at the future.
- 23 Commencement...high school days are gone.
- 29 Last Day...a lot of sad and happy faces.
- 30 Decoration Day



SNAPS







# GIRLS' CHORUS



First Row - M. Clutter, B. Williams, B. Ames, Y. Dinco, C. Angotti, P. Persin

Second Row - J. Christopher, N. Partezana, A. Petrick, R. D'Amico, R. Pollifroni, F. Paul

Third Row - N. Mihalek, R. Anderson, B. Ames, M. Shumaker, F. Conkle, I. Gaso,

E. Petronka, J. Kaifus, L. Thompson, M. Cullen, G. Santee

Fourth Row - J. Barbour, F. Delattre, S. Twardeck, P. Gibbs, P. Kibelbek, I. Lanik,

B. Mendola, S. Gladish

Fifth Row - I. Scicchitano, C. Kudas, J. Barney, D. Martin, R. Bruce, R. Flis,

Mr. McFadyen

Sixth Row - E. Dipyatic, M. Detrick, J. Homer, M. Begansky, L. Pollifroni, P. Otto



# BOYS' CHORUS



First Row - G. Christopher, J. Bonfadini, Mr. McFadyen, G. Krosnoff, R. Umbel

Second Row - J. Kibelbek, S. Zemencik, F. Startare, H. Wilson, H. Puskavich

Third Row - C. Zilka, S. Sadvary, D. Barbour, M. Davis

Fourth Row - T. Trozzi, B. Greenlee, J. Finlayson



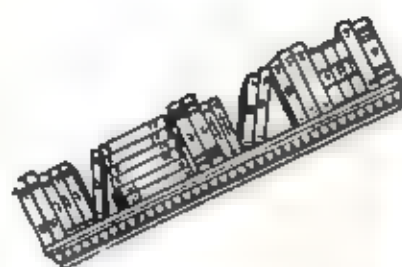
# LENS CLUB



R. Zipko, J. Kibelbek, B. Greenlee, G. Krosnoff, L. Twardeck, M. Clutter



# BOOK CLUB



First Row - P. Kibelbek, C. Daniels, R. Reale, I. Scicchitano,  
R. Pollifroni, B. Ames, P. Price, Y. Dinco, D. Orsatti  
Second Row - Miss Nelson, L. Gondak, P. Persin, F. Delattre,  
P. Gibbs, C. Kudas, M. Ivcic, B. Williams, Miss Kilonsky  
Third Row - S. Piatt, P. Otto, L. Twardeck, G. Santee

# CLEF



First Row - L. Rastoka, M. Lancy, R. D'Amico, J. Rastoka, P. Persin, Mrs. Aebi, M. Marcoux, H. Denny, B. Williams, V. Conicello, C. Angotti

Second Row - Y. Dinco, S. Gladish, E. Kearns, M. Ivcic

Third Row - B. Mendola, P. Kibelbek, I. Scicchitano, L. Thompson, G. Santee, N. Mihalek, L. Twardeck, I. Lanik, P. Gibbs, F. Delattre, C. Kudas

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



Mr. Wiggins, B. Mendola, R. Dague, C. Angotti, J. Kibelbek, N. Partezana, G. Christopher, P. Kibelbek, Mr. Vankirk

## DEBATE



First Row - C. Gilmore, B. Bertovich, C. Angotti, B. Mendola, P. Gibbs, S. Morton, R. Bruce, J. Cicci, J. Behanna

Second Row - V. Gavlik, J. Malik, M. Davis, Mr. Vankirk, R. Petrisek, J. Bonfadini, G. Krosnoff, R. Zipko



# FORENSIC



First Row - K. Hazlinsky, J. Fefolt, S. Wiggins, C. Angotti, N. Mihalek,  
J. Christopher, M. Clutter, E. Fefolt, J. Andrachick  
Second Row - T. Coyle, R. Flis, P. Kibelbek, L. Lindley, N. Sokoloff,  
B. Mendola, B. Ames, E. Petronka, S. Morton, R. Bruce  
Third Row - E. Kearns, P. Gibbs, J. Kiski, Mr. Vankirk, A. Crockett,  
S. Gordon, P. Puskarich, G. Bell  
Fourth Row - C. Gilmore, B. Bertovich, J. Malik, V. Gavlik, B. Petrisek,  
J. Bonfadini, M. Davis, G. Krosnoff, J. Behanna, R. Zipko, J. Cicci



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First Row - R. Olson, R. Pollifroni, S. Wiggins, K. Silbaugh, J. Ulisky,  
Mr. Roche, G. George, O. Conkle, J. Shaynak, J. Andrachick, F. Pollifroni  
Second Row - M. McNulty, W. Crumrine, S. Terretti, G. Silbaugh,  
D. Orsatti, C. Angotti, L. Baker, Y. Zamiska, K. Hazlinsky, P. Denny,  
F. Carl, R. Marcini  
Third Row - B. Williams, P. Anderson, J. Fefolt, J. Malik, R. Flis,  
G. Kearns, B. Jones, I. Lanik, D. Conkle, K. Richards, T. Coyle, V. Gavlik  
Fourth Row - S. Gordon, F. Delattre, P. Puskarich, F. Conkle, P. Otto,  
M. Greenlee, M. McCormick, L. Lindley, L. Sylvester, N. Sokoloff,  
B. Mendola, S. Gladish, J. Kiski, L. Harris  
Fifth Row - R. Puskarich, L. Vernallis, B. Bertovich, J. Smaroff,  
C. Gilmore, T. Hrutkay, L. Twardeck, R. Gilmore, P. Gibbs, R. Zipko,  
P. Kibelbek, N. Mihalek, R. Petrisek, A. Crockett, M. Standard, J. Morgan,  
R. Marcini, P. Vinansky

# F.H.A.



First Row - L. Pollifroni, B. Ames, D. Orsatti, J. Umbel, Miss Snyder,  
P. Price, N. Mihalek, R. Pollifroni, C. Angotti  
Second Row - B. Williams, P. Puskarich, L. Rastoka, J. Barbour,  
M. Rocco, J. Zorek, R. D'Amico, A. Petrick  
Third Row - P. Persin, F. Delattre, P. Andrachick, E. Dipyatic, J. Homer,  
K. Bonfadini, C. Kudas, R. Reale  
Fourth Row - P. Otto, S. Gladish, I. Lanik, L. Harris, C. Daniels,  
P. Kibelbek, L. Gondak  
Fifth Row - B. Mendola, M. Marcoux, P. Gibbs, L. Twardeck, L. Thompson,  
M. Begansky, I. Scicchitano



## HOME EC CLUB



First Row - K. Silbaugh, J. Ulisky, P. Pierce, D. Majoras, Miss Snyder,  
M. Behanna, F. Pollifroni, N. Coyle, J. Shaynak  
Second Row - A. Hank, D. Vlanich, E. Fefolt, K. Hazlinsky, J. Jacobs,  
Y. Zamiska, B. Jones, L. Baker, F. Snyder, P. Anderson, O. Conkle  
Third Row - L. Spears, M. Greenlee, M. McCormick, S. Gordon,  
N. Beresis, N. Sokoloff, S. Wiggins



# DRAMATIC



First Row - P. Gibbs, C. Daniels, R. Reale, I. Scicchitano,  
P. Kibelbek, B. Ames, P. Price, F. Paul, N. Mihalek,  
M. Clutter, J. Christopher, C. Angotti

Second Row - L. Gondak, G. Santee, B. Mendola, J. Kiski  
L. Thompson, I. Lanik, M. Ivcic, R. D'Amico, S. Morton

Third Row - J. Benedetti, R. Petrisek, B. Greenlee, V. Gavlik,  
T. Trozzi, J. Salvitti, T. Hrutkay, B. Stanek, S. Gladish

Fourth Row - G. Christopher, G. Krosnoff, Miss Kilonsky,  
R. Dague, Miss Nelson, P. Squarcia, S. Zemencik

# NEWSPAPER STAFF



First Row - L. Baker, T. Burger, P. Denny, J. Ulisky,  
N. Mihalek, S. Granus, V. Harris, O. Conkle

Second Row - D. Orsatti, L. Rastoka, R. Reale, P. Kelley,  
I. Scicchitano, P. Price, B. Ames, K. Bonfadini

Third Row - B. Mendola, P. Kibelbek, S. Gladish, F. Conkle,  
L. Holbert, M. Greenlee, I. Lanik, V. Conicello

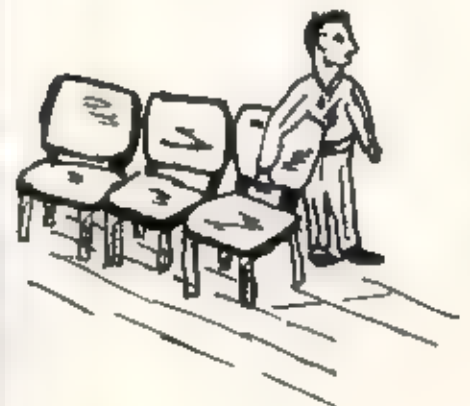
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B. Greenlee, L. Twardeck, P. Gibbs, J. Kiski

# MONOGRAM



First Row - G. Snyder, B. Getto, C. Daniels, P. Price, J. Christopher,  
R. Reale, J. Umbel, P. Kelley, J. Taras, S. Zemencik  
Second Row - D. Burger, R. Jones, F. Velican, G. Christopher,  
J. Bonfadini, V. Gavlik, R. Gilmore, D. Barbour, C. Zilka, R. Kendgia  
Third Row - Mr. Hrutkay, J. Pierce, R. Dague, R. Thames, V. Quattro,  
Mr. Telleck

# CHAIR BOYS



First Row - J. Bava, J. Gombala, J. Stankus  
Second Row - D. Pope, R. Terza, R. Hackett, P. Madliak, G. Balaz,  
J. Salvitti  
Third Row - S. Cicci  
Fourth Row - J. Jalosky, R. Vlanich



# DRUM MAJORETTES



D. Scicchitano, R. Flis, J. Zorek, P. Kibelbek, A. Crockett, M. Lancy, J. Lancy



Mascot-Toni Frameli

# DANCE BAND



Sitting - F. Startare, P. Gibbs, S. Morton, L. Baker, J. Cicci,  
B. Bertovich, J. Christopher, R. Zipko  
Standing - Mr. McFadyen, H. Fields, B. Stout, M. Sessi, E. Stanek



# MARCHING BAND

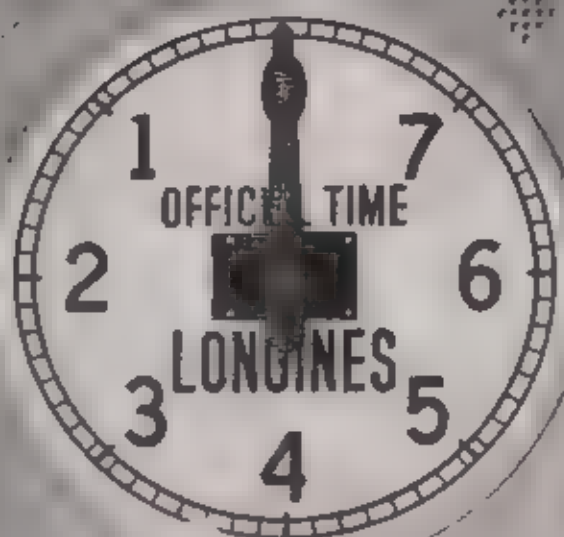
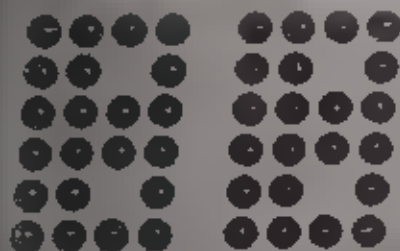


First Row - I. Scicchitano, M. Ivcic, S. Gladish, B. Jones, B. Williams,  
J. Andrachick  
Second Row - L. Vernallis, J. Kiski, P. Persin, G. Santee, M. Davis,  
 L. Baker, C. Zilka, B. Greenlee, R. Dague, B. Bertovich, F. Startare,  
 G. Christopher, P. Gibbs, T. Trozzi, S. Morton  
Third Row - G. Balaz, W. Petrick, H. Harvey, M. Greenlee, G. Silbaugh,  
 L. Twardeck  
Standing - E. Allison, J. Wilson, E. Stanek, C. Angotti, G. Krosnoff,  
 J. Finlayson, M. Smiley, Mr. McFadyen, B. Stout, M. Sessi, H. Fields,  
 L. Thompson, R. Zipko, I. Lanik, R. Berish

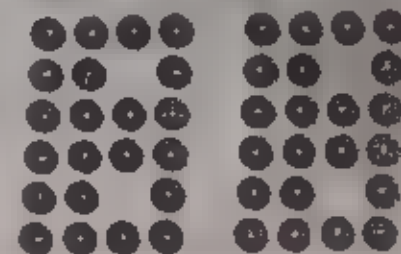




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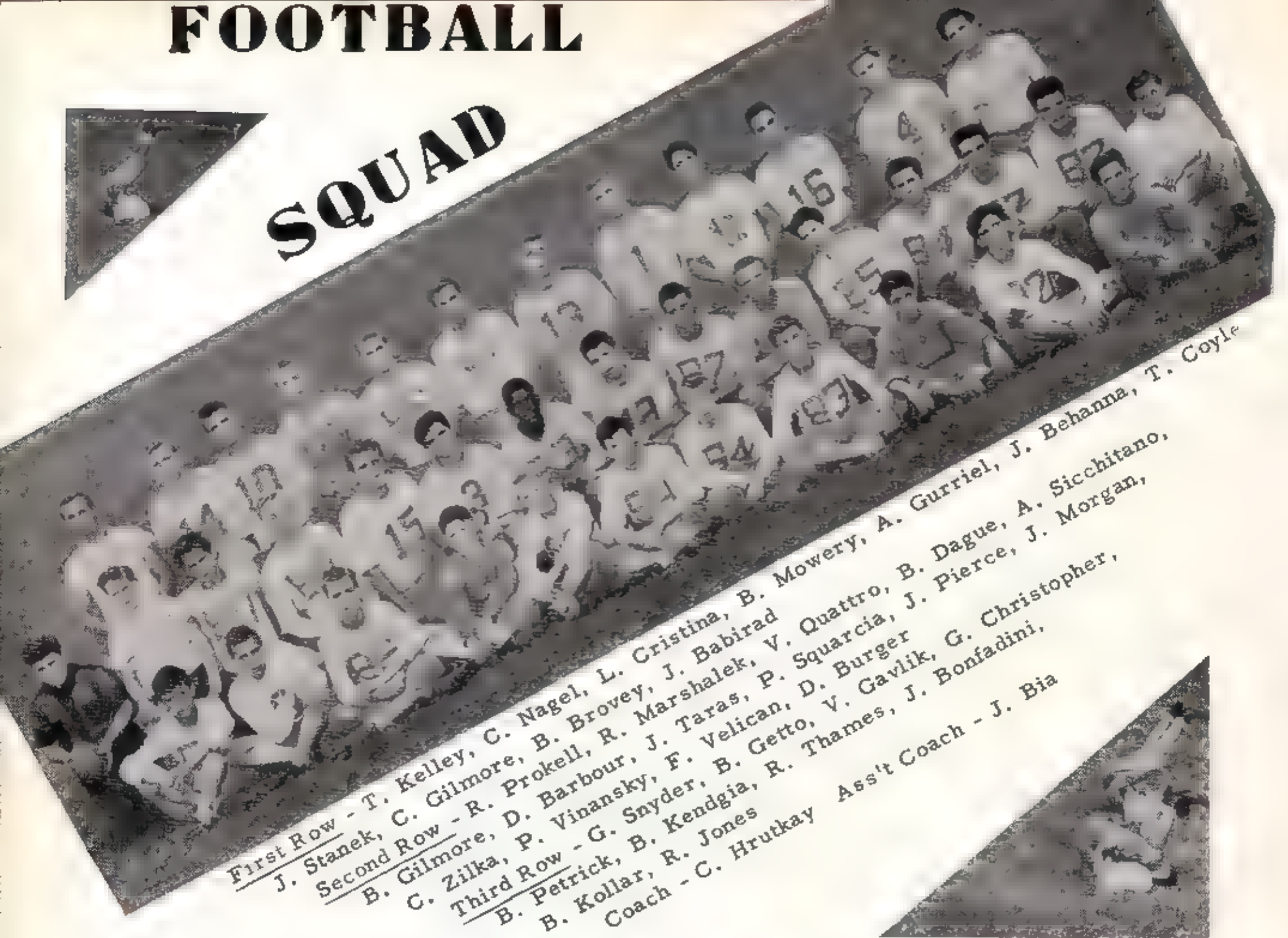


GUEST



# FOOTBALL

## SQUAD



First Row - T. Kelley, C. Nagel, L. Cristina, B. Mowery, A. Gurriel, J. Behanna, T. Coyle  
J. Stanek, C. Gilmore, B. Brovey, J. Babirad  
Second Row - R. Prokell, R. Marshalek, V. Quattro, B. Dague, A. Sicchitano,  
B. Gilmore, D. Barbour, J. Taras, P. Squarcia, J. Pierce, J. Morgan,  
C. Zilka, P. Vinansky, F. Velican, D. Burger  
Third Row - G. Snyder, B. Getto, V. Gavlik, G. Christopher,  
B. Petrick, B. Kendgia, R. Thames, J. Bonfadini,  
B. Kollar, R. Jones  
Coach - C. Hrutkay    Ass't Coach - J. Bia

## SENIORS



First Row - F. Velican, C. Zilka, G. Christopher, J. Pierce, D. Barbour  
Second Row - G. Snyder, B. Getto, R. Thames, J. Bonfadini, R. Jones



"56"  
Bears

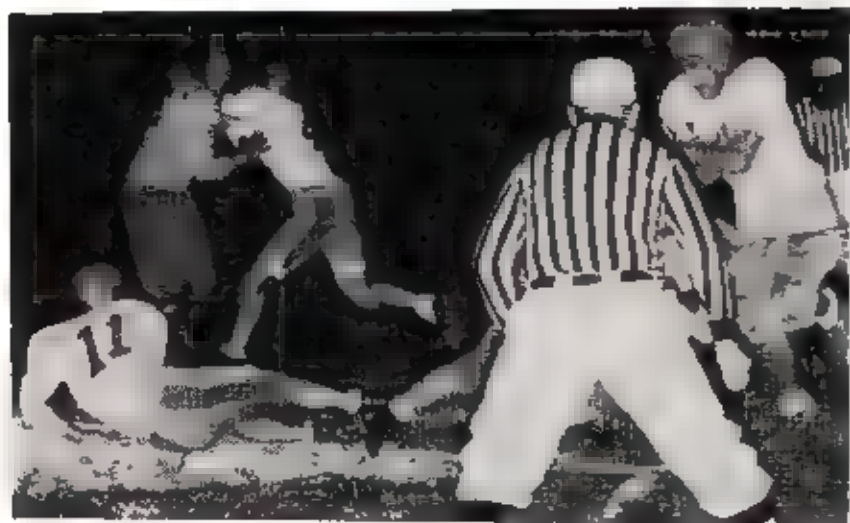
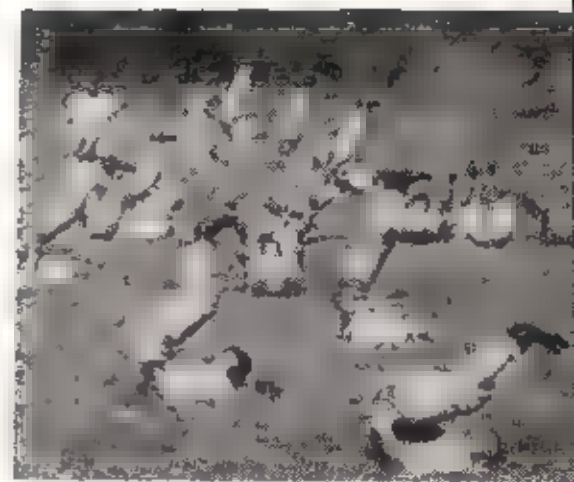


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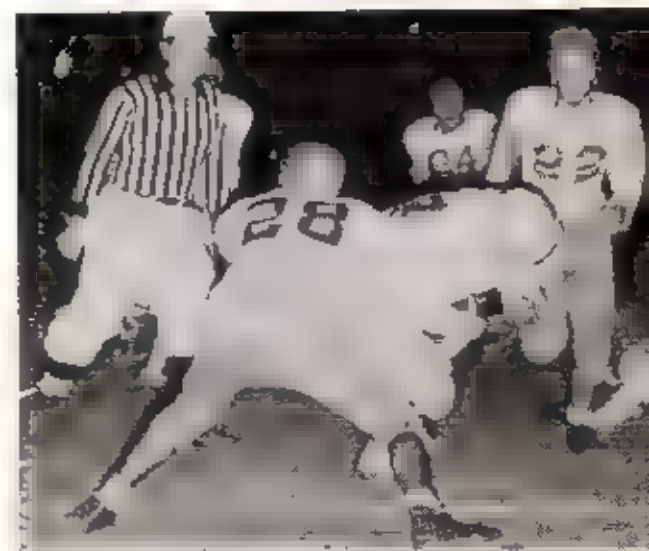


# SEASON'S RECORD

Bentleyville	0	Dunbar	27
Bentleyville	0	E. Beth	26
Bentleyville	13	W. Beth	7
Bentleyville	38	Fairchance	6
Bentleyville	6	Perry Twp.	19
Bentleyville	6	Derry Boro	25
Bentleyville	0	Bridgeville	0
Bentleyville	6	Rankin	27
Bentleyville	0	Ellsworth	24



"CHRIS"



# BASKETBALL TEAM VARSITY



Front - S. Zemencik, Manager

Coach - S. Telleck, J. Pierce, D. Trozzi, B. Getto, R. Dague, B. Greenlee, R. Jones,  
P. Squarcia, J. Taras, Asst. Coach - J. Bia

## JUNIOR VARSITY



Front - E. Jones, R. Olson, A. Gurriel, J. Post, R. Anderson

Back - Coach, S. Telleck, T. Kelley, W. Rundquist, B. Kollar, J. Salvitti, B. Kendgia,  
63 V. Quattro, Asst. Coach, J. Bia





Co-Capt. R. Dague

# **VARSITY** **SQUAD**



Co-Capt. J. Pierce



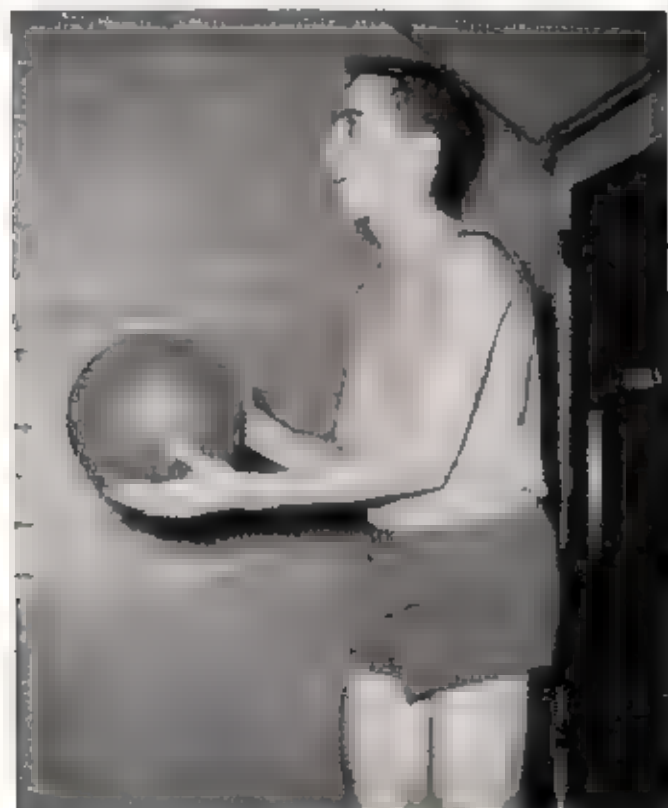
P. Squarcia



B. Getto



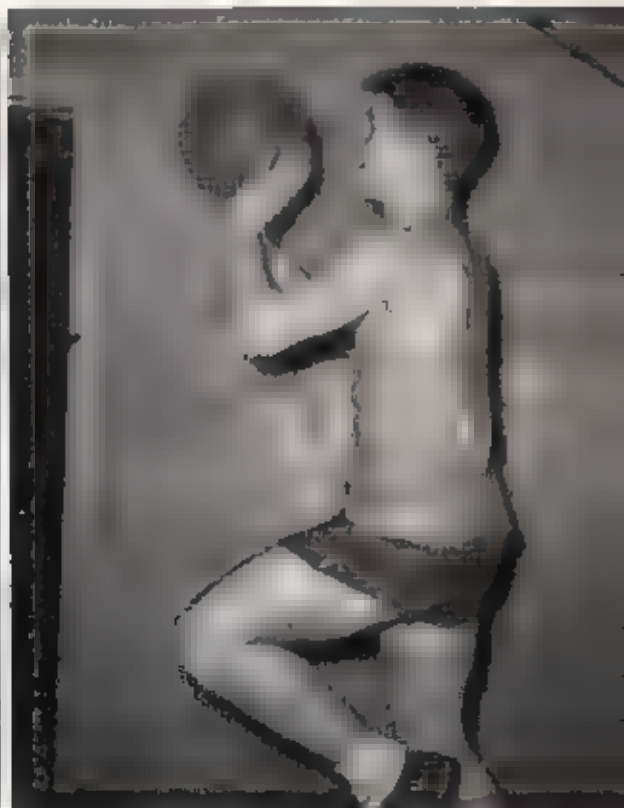
R. Jones



D. Trozzi



Ath. Director - F. Cristina  
Coaches - S. Telleck, J. Bia



R. Kendgia





# MAY QUEEN and HER COURT



May Queen - Isabelle Scicchitano

May Queen Attendants - P. Rossi, B. Mendola, P. Kibelbek, S. Gladish, L. Thompson



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